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## CRAPS GAME IMPROVEMENT

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### CROSS-REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATIONS

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### BACKGROUND OF THE INVENTION

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#### **1. Field of the Invention:**

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The present invention relates to a well known wagering game called "Craps" and  
more particularly to an improvement thereto referred to herein as a "FIRE BET™".

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#### **2. Description of the Prior Art:**

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Craps is a casino wagering game which is enjoyed for its fast pace and excitement.  
The standard rules of play for Craps are very well established, so that there is no need to  
inform those having ordinary skill in the art how Craps is played. However, as a prelude  
to discussion of the present invention, it is useful to provide a short overview of the  
standard rules pertaining to a Craps "Pass Line" bet.

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Referring now to Figure 1, Craps is played on an elongated Craps table 10, having  
a horizontal table top 12 surrounded by a sidewall 14. The playing surface 16 is provided  
with a lay-out 18 in the form of indicia indicative of the play of Craps. The playing surface  
16, may for example be a felt material having the indicia of the lay-out 18 imprinted  
thereupon. The lay-out 18 includes indicia indicative of a pass line bet area 20, indicia  
indicative of a point number area 22 (a plurality of squares having, respectively, therein the